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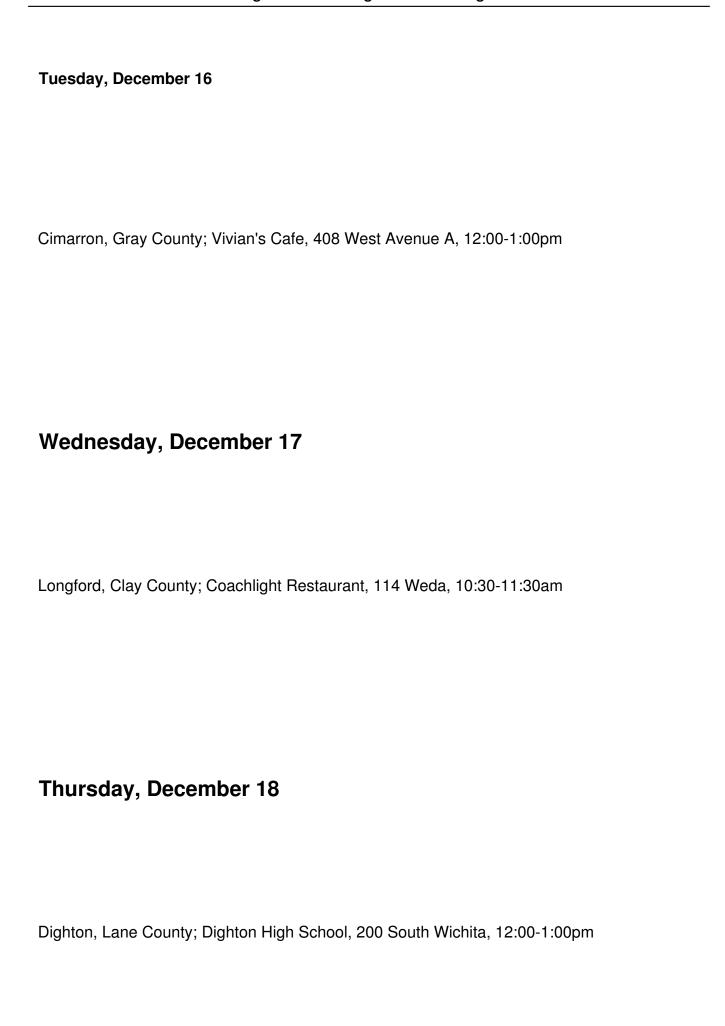
Moran to Hold Town Hall Meetings in 69 Counties in the First District

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Congressman Jerry Moran today announced the schedule for his eighth annual "Big First" Listening Tour. During the tour, Moran will travel more than 5,000 miles and meet with thousands of Kansans while visiting all 69 counties in the First Congressional District. The tour offers an opportunity for Moran to meet personally with Kansans to gather input and answer their questions about federal issues.

" The tour allows me to meet directly with Kansans to get their thoughts and concerns, which will help me to be a better representative for Kansans in Congress, " Moran said. " The town hall setting has been a useful way to meet with as many Kansans as possible, while getting suggestions directly to take back to Washington, D.C. "

All events are open to the public and the media. Attached is a full schedule of events.

Eighth Annual "Big First" Listening Tour



Ness City, Ness County; Ness City State Bank, Main and Pennsylvania Avenue, 8:30-9:30am

WaKeeney, Trego County; Western Coop Association, 635 South 13th Street, 10:15-11:15am

Hill City, Graham County; Tropp's, 415 W. Main Street, 12:00-1:00pm

Tuesday, December 23

McCracken, Rush County; City Building, 102 West Beech, 9:00-10:00am

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Oneida, Nemaha County; Oneida Community Building, 205th 5th Street, 9:00-10:00am

Home, Marshall County; Little Hap's Cafe, 210 Second Street, 10:30-11:30am

Washington, Washington County; Schooky's Deli, 207 C Street, 12:00-1:00pm

Scandia, Republic County; Scandia Community Center, 406 4th Street, 1:45-2:45pm

Jamestown, Cloud County; City Hall, 300 Walnut, 3:15-4:15pm

Tuesday, December 30

Gorham, Russell County; Gorham Cafe, 133 Market, 8:00-9:00am

Holyrood, Ellsworth County; American Legion Hall, 416 N. Main Street, 10:00-11:00am

Geneseo, Rice County; American Legion Hall, 601 Main Street, 11:15am-12:15pm

Marquette, McPherson County; Valley Cafe, 114 N. Washington, 12:45-1:45pm

Wednesday, December 31

Palco, Rooks County; Palco Cafe, 407 Main Street, 8:30-9:30am
Logan, Phillips County; Trojan Cafe, 107 West Main Street, 10:30-11:30am
Monday, January 5
Ashland, Clark County; Ashland Public Library, 604 Main Street, 3:30-4:30pm
Kinsley, Edwards County; City Hall-Community Room, 721 Main Street, 7:00pm
Tuesday, January 6
Osborne, Osborne County; Circle Inn Restaurant, 1106 West Highway 24, 10:00-11:00am

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Medicine Lodge, Barber County; SCTelcom, 101 South Main Street, 2:00-3:00pm
Pratt, Pratt County; Municipal Building, 3 rd & Jackson, 3:45-4:45pm

Saturday, January 10

Hays, Ellis County; KSU Research Center, 1232 240 Avenue, 8:00-9:00am

Monday, January 12

Oakley, Logan County; Colonial Steak House, I-70 & US 83, 1:00-2:00pm

Colby, Thomas County; Senior Progress Center, 156 Fike Park, 2:30-3:30pm
Goodland, Sherman County; Western State Bank, 815 Center Avenue, 3:30-4:30pm MT
St. Francis, Cheyenne County; Windmill Restaurant, West US 36, 6:30-7:30pm
Tuesday, January 13
Sharon Springs, Wallace County; Senior Center, 233Main Street, 8:00-9:00am MT
Tribune, Greeley County; Kuder Senior Center, 410 Broadway, 9:30-10:30am MT

Syracuse, Hamilton County; Ramble-N-Restaurant, 606 West US 50, 11:00am-12:00pm MT
Lakin, Kearny County; County Courthouse, 304 N. Main, 1:30-2:30pm
Holcomb, Finney County; City Hall, 200 North Lynch, 3:00-4:00pm
Thursday, January 15
Marion, Marion County; Country Dreams, 2309 Clover Road, 1:30-2:30pm
Strong City, Chase County; Youth Technology Center, 200 East Church Street, 3:00-4:00pm

Emporia, Lyon County; Chamber of Commerce, 719 Commercial Street, 5:00-6:00pm
Friday, January 16
Hamilton, Greenwood County; Stockyard Cafe, 13 East Main Street, 8:30-9:30am
South Hutchinson, Reno County; Pastoli's Grill, 11 Des Moines Avenue, 2:30-3:30pm
Friday, January 23 Richfield, Morton County; Richfield Fellowship Hall, 451 Walnut Street, 8:00-9:00am
Johnson, Stanton County; County Fare Restaurant, 105 South Main, 9:30-10:30am
Ulysses, Grant County; Pioneer Electric Coop; 1850 W. Oklahoma, 11:00am-12:00pm

Satanta,	Haskell	County;	Centera	Bank,	218	Sequoyah,	12:30-1	:30pm

Monday, January 26

Great Bend, Barton County; Great Bend Fire Station #2, 5851 10th Street, 9:00-10:00am

Hudson, Stafford County; Wheatland Cafe, 112 N. Main, 10:30-11:30am

Larned, Pawnee County; Jordaan Community Room, 502 Broadway, 12:00-1:00pm

Friday, January 30

Salina, Saline County; Tom's Appletree Restaurant, 2450 South 9 th Street, 7:45-8:45am
Minneapolis, Ottawa County; John Henry Center, 301 West 2 nd , 9:30-10:30am
Lincoln, Lincoln County; Senior Center, 116 West Lincoln Avenue, 11:00am-12:00pm
Thursday, February 5
Eskridge, Wabaunsee County; Annie Mae's Cafe, 113 South Main, 7:45-8:45am
White City, Morris County; Rolling Hills Senior Center, 9:30-10:30am
Enterprise, Dickinson County; Sunflower Cafe, 112 South Factory, 11:00am-12:00pm

Monday, February 9

Marienthal, Wichita County; Scott County Co-op, 100 Marienthal Road, 9:30-10:30am

Scott City, Scott County; Bryan Education Center, 416 Main, 11:00am-12:00pm

Friday, February 13

Grandview Plaza, Geary County; Stacy's Restaurant, 118 West Flint Hills Boulevard, 9:00-10:00am

Monday, February 16

Grainfield, Gove County; Eberle Insurance Company, 272 Main Street, 4:30-5:30pm

Wednesday, February 18

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